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MIGHT BE IN BETTER BUSINESS.

From a recent issue of the Sumter Watchman and Southern we clip the following:

Lieutenant Governor James H. Tillman must be an enthusiastic chicken fancier, for he made a flying visit to Sumter last week to witness a cock fight that was pulled off, about six miles from this city. It is currently reported that he is not an expert judge of the capabilities of game cocks, for he backed the wrong cock in the fight, and he paid dearly for his poor judgment. The Lieutenant Governor did not travel incognito as is the custom of high personages in Europe, but he did not seek unnecessary publicity, and but few of his acquaintances, chicken fanciers excepted, knew of his presence in the county until after his departure.

Several months ago we noticed an account of a largely attended cock fight in an out-of-the-way place between Augusta and Bamberg, and Lieut. Governor Tillman is reported to have "dropped" over a thousand dollars backing his poor judgment. His lack of good judgment is very likely due to the fact that on these occasions (and on other occasions, matter,) he is in a condition favorable to "seeing double," and probably sees more than is really there. At any rate the Lieutenant Governor of South Carolina need not lose any time from his official duties in order to find a more respectable business to occupy his energies.

Anderson County Slavery Cases Up in Court.

Anderson, S. C., June 14.—The Anderson county slavery cases were disposed of to-day—all except that against J. S. Fowler, one of the largest planters in the county, who insists on going to trial on the charge of false imprisonment to establish his right to imprison a man if that man is willing to become a prisoner. J. R. Miller, J. A. Emerson, W. E. McGee, W. Q. Hammond, W. C. Bailey, James Martin, Allen Martin, George Thomas, James Cook and Mike Robins pleaded guilty to assault and battery and were fined each and discharged. These men, together with Fowler, were indicted for false imprisonment, conspiracy, assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature. The solicitor had many negro witnesses to prove the charges as to assault and illegal imprisonment. They had been confined in stockades without having been convicted or tried for any crime, and had been whipped. The defendants admitted the whipping. Solicitor Jaggas entertained no hope of getting the petty jury to follow the course of the grand jury and find against these planters, so he took the plea they were willing to make. Fowler claims the right to look up hands who hire themselves to him and has gone to trial to settle that point. Later—The jury found Fowler not guilty.

The bilious, tired, nervous man cannot successfully contend with his healthy rival. DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous pills for constipation, will remove the cause of your troubles. J. W. Bell, Southern Industrial Convention.

Philadelphia, Pa., June 15.—The Southern Industrial Convention adjourned this afternoon. Col. W. A. Hemphill, of Atlanta, was elected president, vice H. H. Hargrove, resigned. The project of constructing the Nicaragua canal was heartily endorsed, and a committee of one United States Senator from each Southern State provided for, by Senator Morgan, of Alabama, chairman, to report at the next meeting in Memphis, Tenn., in December. Liberal appropriations were recommended by the river and harbor committee. The appointment of a committee to take up the subject of tariff revision without present reference, but with only a view to its commercial importance, was endorsed.

The delegates to the Southern Industrial Convention, considered the most important question which lay before them, that of waterways and their relations to the improvement of the country's trade. There was much discussion on the isthmian canal, and the general consensus of opinion was that the proposed Nicaragua canal would be the most economical and most desirable route between the two oceans. The debate on this subject was led by Hon. Sewell C. Cobb, of Pensacola, Fla. The Mississippi river and its tributaries were also discussed, all of the speakers urging that the waterways of the South should be used for motive power and giving splendid results.

Call at Dr. J. W. Bell's drug store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are a powerful physic. They also improve the appetite, strengthen the digestion and regulate the liver's bowels. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect.

Governor Sanford Dead.

Montgomery, Ala., June 11.—William J. Sanford, Governor of Alabama, died tonight at Tusculo, where he has been ill for some time. Disease of the heart was the real cause of death. Governor Sanford has been in Tusculo several weeks, having gone there to attend a meeting of the trustees of the State University. He had been ill since his inauguration as Governor, but it was believed that immediate danger of death was passed. While in Tusculo, however, his illness returned with renewed violence and he became so dangerously sick that the physicians feared to remove him to Montgomery. Yesterday Governor Sanford was thought to be improving, but grew worse to-day and succumbed to night at 10.30 o'clock. Governor Sanford was about 56 years of age and was a native of Alabama. He had served in the State Senate and in Congress; was a member of the Constitutional Convention in 1875 and held other important public offices. He was elected Governor in August of last year and was inaugurated December 1st. The Hon. W. D. Jelks, President of the State Senate, will succeed him as Governor.

ANOTHER BOER EXPLOIT.

Two Hundred and Fifty of the Victorian Mounted Rifles are Surprised.

London, June 17.—Lord Kitchener has cabled from Pretoria, under to-day's date, as follows:
"Near Welman's Rust, twenty miles South of Middelburg, 260 Victorian mounted rifles from Gen. Beaton's column were surprised in camp at Steenhuizen by a superior force of Boers at 7.30 p. m., June 12. The enemy crept up to within short range and poured a deadly fire into the camp, killing two officers and sixteen men and wounding 30 officers and thirty-eight men, of whom 22 officers and 10 men were slightly wounded. Only two officers and fifty men escaped to Gen. Beaton's camp. The remainder were taken prisoners and released. Two pompons were captured by the enemy. Full details have not yet been received."

First "Accident" of the Kind.

London, June 17.—The serious reverse which Lord Kitchener reports is the first accident of the kind that has happened to the Australian contingent, and is supposed to be due to neglect of proper picketing. Although it is offset by the defeat inflicted upon De Wet, the loss of the guns is regarded as a serious matter, which will encourage the Boers to continue the struggle.

More or less fanciful accounts are published on the Continent of alleged peace negotiations, but there is nothing in them and nothing has come of the interview between Mrs. Botsa and Mr. Kruger beyond revealing the fact that Mr. Kruger will listen to no proposals until they are accompanied with a guarantee of the independence of the Republics.

The Daily Mail's Cape Town correspondent says that Cecil Rhodes, speaker of the South African States, predicted that a federation of South Africa States would come in three or four years, but he contended that to grant self-government to the Republics before federation would render federation impossible.

Boer War Ruining England.

London, June 17.—The London Stock Exchange is in a state of commotion, the effects of the recent American crisis, but business remains painfully dull. Hesitancy prevails here and is largely traceable to a desire for definite assurance of the tangible developments in the South African war. The depression accompanying the decline in gold-edged securities has seriously hampered the resources of many of the strongest members of the Stock Exchange, while it is whispered that some banks are even so involved as to require the assistance rendered larger operations that they are now unable to press for settlement lest they precipitate a crisis involving large interests.

You may as well expect to run a steam engine without water as to find an active energetic man with a torpid liver and you may know that his liver is torpid when he does not eat his food, or feels dull, and languid after eating, often has headache and sometimes dizziness. A few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will restore his liver to its normal functions, renew his vitality, improve his digestion and make him feel like a new man. Price 25 cents. Samples free at Dr. J. W. Bell's drug store.

Col. J. L. Boyd Visits the Place of His Nativity.

Col. James L. Boyd, who is 81 years of age, and lives six miles Northeast of Seneca, and who has not visited his boyhood home in fifty years, took a notion on June 12th, 1901, that he would wander back to see his father's old home and to stand in the place of his boyhood. He owned what is now called the Major's place and the Nimrod T. Smith place and other lands adjoining. His father lived and died on the N. T. Smith tract and now lies peacefully sleeping in Old Lebanon (Baptist) cemetery, about three miles East of the historic old town of Pendleton.

Col. Boyd stopped at the old church yard on his way down. What a touching scene as he stood with bowed head and tearful eyes, but could not, with any certainty, locate his father's grave. We imagine he brushed the tears away and, looking upward, said, oh yes, I know where he is, for I know on whom he believed, and I know full well the road to take to meet him there.

He journeyed on with bright anticipation of seeing my father, his boyhood friend, and his children, but alas for human hopes and human aims, for he, too, had gone to that happy land.

He arrived here in the afternoon and found Frank Sykes, his good colored friend and driver, waiting for him. The buggy and I with pleasure drove him over the old happy hunting grounds of "And Lang Syne," where he and my father and other boys, long since crossed over into the Buhal land, once played leap frog and walked on their hands with their heels in the air and jump up and strike their feet together four times before touching the ground. Seems to me that would lay our modern gymnastics in his shade.

We went to the scene of his birth and childhood, but he could not recognize the spot where the world was made. It was all grown up in stately oaks and waving pines, which seemed to be standing sentinel over the hallowed spot; but the hill by the spring—oh yes, that was familiar, and the spring itself under that hill—oh, yes, that was familiar, too, for the water still goes gushing and rushing on as of old, until it reaches the father of waters and then it is lost in vastness, just as our lives, if we go rushing on in as much purity, and we afford the cup of life's water, we shall soon be lost in the vastness of an eternity of joy, bliss and love.

We soon came back to the old residence of my father, N. T. Smith, and I showed him the old joints and some of the lumber which was taken from Col. Boyd's father's old house, about a quarter of a mile from here, and is perhaps over one hundred years old.

Col. Boyd was a stranger when he first arrived, but he is no stranger now. He is full of the reminiscences of the good old times. He has inspired me with heavenly thoughts and we feel that we have entertained an angel unawares.

Autan, Anderson County, S. C., June 17th, 1901.

Mr. W. S. Whedon, Cashier of the First National Bank of Winterset, Iowa, in a recent letter gives some experience with a carpenter in his employ, that will be of value to other mechanics. He says: "I had a carpenter working for me who was obliged to stop work for several days on account of being troubled with diarrhea. I mentioned to him that I had been similarly troubled and that Chamberlain's Cough, Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy had cured me. He bought a bottle of it from the drug store and informed me that one dose cured him, and he is again at work. For sale by Dr. J. W. Bell, Walhalla.

TILLMAN MAY TRY TO KEEP

McLaurin Out of the Race for the Senate by a New Party Oath.

Columbia, June 17.—Senator Tillman's friends think he has quietly fixed the odds for Senator McLaurin to draw a blank as winner without even having a chance to try.

Instead of ruling McLaurin out of the party, a method that would raise a rumour in the State, and might cause serious trouble, the junior Senator is to be made to rule himself out.

Tillman was opposed to the executive committee ruling out McLaurin, on the ground that it would give him an advantage over the people.

He could declare himself a Democrat and say Tillman was afraid to let the people hear him; afraid to allow them to be the judge. It has, therefore, been planned to let the convention, that meets next May to organize party machinery, make a new primary oath that can be taken by all the candidates except McLaurin. This oath, heretofore, has been designed to cover the State matters only, the candidate pledging himself to abide the result of a primary and support the one on.

For McLaurin's benefit it will be amended so as to pledge the support of the national Democratic platform in all its planks, acknowledging the platform as the mouthpiece of the party and pledging also to abide by the caucus votes.

McLaurin having declared so strongly against both these, Tillman supporters declare he cannot take the oath, and unless he does he cannot participate in the primary or be voted for except at a general election. The plan looked out after Senator Tillman and Col. Willie Jones, chairman of the State Executive Committee, spent a couple of days together.

McLaurin's course, under these circumstances, has not yet been defined, but it is already taken by his friends as evidence that the organization is afraid of McLaurin's strength.

Governor M. B. McSweeney was asked to-day whether he endorsed this scheme of ruling out McLaurin. He would not commit himself, saying that he was not a member of the committee and did not care to get tangled up in the matter. He would say, however, that unless a man would stand by the platform and be governed by a caucus, he could not claim to be in the party.

State Chairman Jones said he did not think the present Executive Committee would take any action about McLaurin. The convention and now committee will be in control long before the campaign is opened for next year.

"Nothing will be done now," he said, "unless McLaurin goes to cutting up legs in the State this summer. If any five members of the committee can have it called together and take what action they may see fit."

Fry-Balaam Relieves Night Aways and makes a speedy cure of coughs and colds.

The Destroying Angel.

"F. M. C." in Hartwell (Ga.) Sun.] Death has again visited our community and claimed another victim. Mr. G. W. Burns departed this life June 8th, 1901. He lived to a ripe old age, being 70 years and 9 months old. In 1851 he was married to Miss Jane White. After having lived together for thirty five years, sharing each other's comforts and soothing each other's sorrows, she is left to mourn his absence, while he is gone to his reward. Eleven children were born unto them, ten of whom are living, together with a number of grandchildren and a host of friends, to cherish his memory.

His remains were interred in the cemetery at Greenville, S. C., after appropriate services by Rev. F. M. Cole. Text: Amos 4:12: "Treachery to meet the God." The discourse was an earnest appeal to both young and old to prepare to meet God in peace; that the young may die and the old must die; that death is no respecter of persons.

"Uncle Wat," as a great many of us knew him, lived near Townville, S. C., until a few years ago, when he removed to near Fair Play, S. C. Three years ago he bought the place of Rev. B. J. McLusky and removed to Georgia.

After Wat had his fallings like all other men, and made mistakes. He never joined the church, but was a lover of good men. The writer was in conversation with him a short time before his death, when he spoke of the decease of Capt. Vandiver, Brethren Woolbright, Hunter, Dalrymple and others, and what great loss Townville had sustained thereby. Uncle Wat confessed he had not lived as he should have, but said that the Lord had been very good to him; that he had been a strong, hearty man and had taken but one dose of doctor's medicine in his life. Although he had gone through the war, he was in health did not begin to fail him until about four years ago. He had been up and going until a short time ago, when it seemed that the end was drawing near. His friends tried to persuade him to call a physician. He would heed none of our entreaties, and said it was no use—he had lived out his days.

While standing at his bedside a few days before his death we felt his pulse. Looking up at me he said, "You are the oldest man that ever felt my pulse, and if I were to live to see October 1 I would be eighty years old. I asked him if it was the Lord's will to take him and he replied, yes; he was just waiting. The only thing in his way was leaving his family.

He has left behind him a precious promise to be a husband to the widow and a father to the children.

A Good Cough Medicine. It speaks well for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy when druggists use it in their own families in preference to any other. "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the past five years with complete satisfaction to myself and customers," says Druggist J. Goldsmith, Van Etten, N. Y. "It has always cured me and my family, both for ordinary coughs and colds and for the cough following influenza, grippe, and Dr. J. W. Bell.

Wanted to Kill One Before He Left.

St. Matthews, S. C., June 15.—A most atrocious murder was committed on the plantation of Mr. W. W. Wannamaker Wednesday afternoon. Eight negroes were plowing in a field, when a dispute over the trivial matter of a few quarts of grain arose, and Jim C. Colley sprang at Olin Trezevant and cut him to death. The latter was unarmed and begged for his life, but he was not killed. This was done in the immediate presence of seven other negroes and not a hand was raised to prevent the heinous murder. The murderer, after declaring he wanted to kill one of the negroes on the place before he left, fled, and not one present attempted to detain him.

THE NEWS FROM SENECA.

Services at the Baptist Church—Mr. J. H. Bryan to Return to Oconee.

Seneca, June 18.—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bryan and their bright little son, Master Harry, spent last Sunday at the Oconee Inn. Mr. Bryan has accepted a position with the Courtney Manufacturing Company and will shortly move his family there. Many friends of both Mr. and Mrs. Bryan are delighted to have them return to Oconee.

Mrs. Myra Doyle and Miss Norris, of Westminster, visited friends in Seneca on Monday.

A series of meetings commenced in the Baptist Church on Monday evening. Rev. D. W. Hott, the pastor of the church, is assisted by Dr. Chapman, of Anderson. Dr. Chapman is a gifted speaker and already has made a favorable impression upon our people, and a successful meeting is predicted as a result of his preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Craig have the sympathy of our community in the death of their baby girl, which died on last Saturday night.

Mr. George Coleman arrived at home on Tuesday, having been admitted to the bar recently in the State of Florida. He will remain in Seneca during the summer months, and will return to Florida in the fall.

Mrs. Eugene Clarkson and children, of Keowee, have been in Seneca for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson had the misfortune to lose their dwelling by fire last Thursday night.

Miss Mary Cherry will entertain a house party at her country home at Cherry's the latter part of the week. The guests will be the Misses Norris, Misses Edith Gibbs, Eunice Hill, Nell Humphries and others.

Miss Mamie Swann is now in Spartanburg. She will attend the summer school at Converse College.

Mrs. W. A. Lowery and her son, Mr. Quincy Adams, are in Baltimore for a two weeks' visit.

Miss Willie Cherry entertained quite a number of her friends at a birthday party last Friday evening from nine to twelve. Among the visiting guests were Misses Harry Post, Charlie Gignilliat, Marshall Jordan and Wm. Hagood, of Smith's Bluff, and Misses Lucy Moore, of Clemson College, Misses Lucy Moore, of Hampton, and Mary Oldham, of Alabama.

Miss Sallie Livingston will attend the Teachers' Summer School at Spartanburg. Miss Livingston will teach the intermediate department of the Seneca school the coming year.

The Oconee Inn has had a very large crowd of guests for the past few months. The machinery for the cotton mill is being placed in for commencing work September 1st. Quite a number of operatives are already living in the village, which is thought by many to be the prettiest mill village in the State.

Dr. W. F. Austin has as his guests his brother and family from Pine Bluff, Arkansas.

Medical Conspiracy Against Him.

Chicago, June 17.—John Alexander Dowie announced at his meeting at Zion Tabernacle to-day that certain physicians of this city have formed a plot to kidnap him, lock him in the detention hospital and beat him on the head and back till he should really become insane.

He said that the kidnapping might take place to-night and after his service he called a special private meeting of the male members of Zion to take steps to help the Zion guard in protecting him. He also threatened the physicians that he would do to them as he thought they were trying to do him until they shall let him alone and stop calling him a paranoiac.

With all this Dowie repeated continually his pretensions to be Elijah reincarnated, making way for the end of the world, and he incidentally laid claim to immortality until such time as his work was accomplished.

A Sprained Ankle Quickly Cured. "At one time I suffered from a severe sprain of my ankle," says Geo. E. Cary, editor of the Guide, "and was unable to walk. After using several well recommended medicines without success, I tried Chamberlain's Pain Expeller, and was cured. It gave me relief as soon as I began its use and a complete cure speedily followed." Sold by Dr. J. W. Bell.

Reputed Mob of Five Hundred.

Last Friday a mob of 500 infuriated men stormed the jail at Carrollton, Ga., with the intention of lynching the Williams, a negro convicted of the murder of Otis Ward, a young white boy. The sheriff was a young white boy. The sheriff with a posse resisted the mob, and George W. Bennett, the leader of the mob, was shot dead and two others were wounded. The sheriff's posse consisted of himself, his brother-in-law, J. J. Fletcher, and State Senator, W. D. H. Brock. The mob was repulsed and held at bay until Governor Candler sent troops to the scene, and the negro was taken to the Tower in Atlanta for safe keeping. J. L. Morrill, the fearless sheriff, is receiving much praise for his brave defense of the jail.

John G. Woolley to Make Long Trip.

Chicago, June 17.—John G. Woolley, prohibition candidate for President in 1904, started to-night on a trip around the world, for the purpose of collecting data on the liquor traffic and conditions in the countries visited preparatory to issuing a book on the results of the prohibition movement. Mr. Woolley will sail from San Francisco on June 20th. At Honolulu Mr. Woolley will endeavor to organize a party. The trip will occupy six months, and Australia, England, Ireland, Scotland and several other countries will be visited.

Negro Hanged for Killing a Conductor.

Brunswick, Ga., June 14.—Frisco Griffin, a negro, was hanged here to-day for the murder in October last of R. Marion Latimer. Latimer was a passenger conductor on the Southern Railway. On the night the murder occurred Latimer was informed, while his train was running between two stations in this part of the State, that some one was standing on the front steps of the baggage car. Latimer opened the door and called to the man to come inside. The negro stepped to the door of the car and shot the conductor, killing him instantly.

A farmer of Dougherty county, Ga., trapped a big golden eagle a few days ago. It measured 7 feet from tip to tip of wings and is as big as a large turkey. It is now on exhibition at the Grant Park Zoo, Atlanta.

NEWS FROM FAIR PLAY.

A Sad Death—General News Times—Texas Fever Appears Again.

Fair Play, June 18.—Mr. Larry Marrett, who has been attending the South Carolina Co-educational Institute at Edgefield, is at home, to the delight of his many friends.

Mr. Robt. Leathers has been very sick for the past two weeks, but is improving slowly.

Mr. Holland and Miss Daisy Wright, of Anderson, paid our town a flying visit recently.

Misses Myrtle and Pauline Burton, of the Fork, visited relatives and friends here last Thursday.

Mr. Richard Grubbs and Miss Ada King, who have been attending a normal singing school at Dayton, Va., returned here last Saturday. They are two of our model young people and their many friends are glad to see their cheerful faces again.

Mr. Thos. Smith is the champion fisherman of this section, having caught four carp recently that would average ten pounds each.

Mr. E. C. Marrett has again been troubled with the Texas fever among his cattle. This fever is produced by ticks and is a very fatal unless speedily removed. Those who have pastures should watch the cattle and destroy the ticks as fast as they appear.

There has been an unusual amount of sickness in our community, but most of our sick are improving.

The rust has injured the wheat crop materially. The continued wet weather has prevented harvesting, and it will be difficult to save the crop.

Mrs. George Marrett and Miss Pearl Whitworth, of Atlanta, are visiting Mr. Stephen Marrett's family.

The road in this section are much in need of repair. It would be like to reform some of our county officials, who seemed to be so fond of chicken and pig last summer, that another crop is on hand—larger, richer and juicier than ever. Early apples, peaches, plums and the never-failing blackberry, are now tempting the eye, and we take this opportunity to invite our County Supervisor and our two County Commissioners to come down and share our hospitality. My friend Smith will furnish the fish. And then if we don't have a good dinner, you won't invite them no mo' till next time.

The angel of death has again entered our midst. On last Monday evening, as the shadows of nightfall were lengthening, he came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Marrett and took the spirit of their youngest boy, Marcus, aged 18 months, to the realms of eternal day. Little Marcus had been sick but a short while and was thought to be out of danger, when death came. His body was laid to rest in the Oak Grove cemetery, after appropriate funeral services, conducted by Rev. Mr. McManaway, of Westminster. The sympathy of friends and relatives go out to the bereaved family in this their first affliction. M. C. N.

Columbia, Ga., August 24, 1872. Dr. C. J. Mottler, Dear Sir, I have your TECTHINA (Teething Powders) to our little grandchild with the happiest results. The effects were almost magical, and certainly more satisfactory than from anything we ever used.

Killing in Sumter.

In a shooting affray at Sumter, S. C., last Friday afternoon, between Frank K. Winn and E. A. Edwards, Winn was killed and Charlie Smith, who jumped between the combatants as they drew their pistols, was shot twice and seriously wounded. Winn received two wounds, one just above the right eye and the other in the right side of the head. He died before he could be taken to the hospital. Edwards escaped without a scratch except a slight bruise on the chin, where Winn struck him as they came together. Edwards fired three shots and Winn two, and it is said that Smith received both shots intended for Edwards. Smith was shot through the chin, his jaw being broken, the other ball making a glancing wound on his forehead. The difficulty grew out of a lawsuit in a Magistrate's Court at Providence, Winn gaining a verdict.

After the case had been disposed of in the Court, Winn and Edwards and a row and threats are reported to have been made. When the shooting took place Winn was standing in the door of a lively saloon and Edwards passed by. They exchanged a word or two and Winn struck Edwards. Both drew pistols and began shooting, with the result stated above. Edwards was the first to fire, and was shot in the arm and delivered to the police station. Winn had three empty chambers. Winn fell almost in his tracks when shot and was taken to the hospital. All parties declared that the shooting was a tragedy. Winn was the oldest son of Dr. Joseph Winn, superintendent of the Sumter Cotton Mill and was about 25 years old. Edwards is a son of the late Rev. E. A. Edwards and a nephew of Dr. John H. Furman, of this county. Smith is 24 years old, a son of Mr. W. P. Smith.

A WORTHY SUCCESSOR.

"Something New Under the Sun."

All doctors have tried to cure Catarrh by the use of powders, acid gases, inhalers and drugs in paste form. Their powders dry up the mucous membranes, causing dryness, itching and bleeding. The powerful acids used in the inhalers have entirely eaten away the same membranes and have caused the same dryness, itching, while, pastes and ointments cannot reach the disease. An old and experienced practitioner, who has for many years cured Catarrh by removing the cause of the treatment which, when faithfully used, not only relieves at once, but permanently cures Catarrh, by removing the cause of the treatment and curing all inflammation. It is the only remedy known for Catarrh that actually reaches the affected parts. This wonderful remedy is known as "SNUFFLES," the Guaranteed Catarrh Cure, and is sold at the drug stores, each bottle, each package containing internal and external medicine sufficient for a full month's treatment and everything necessary to its perfect use.

"SNUFFLES" is the only perfect Catarrh Cure ever made and is now recognized as the only safe and positive cure for Catarrh of the nose and throat. It cures all inflammation quickly and permanently, and is also wonderfully quick to relieve Hay Fever or Cold in the Head, Croup, Sore Throat, and all other Catarrhs. Consumption—"SNUFFLES" will save you if you use it often. It is no ordinary remedy, but a complete treatment which is positively guaranteed to cure Catarrh in any form or stage if used according to the directions which accompany each package. Don't delay, but send for it at once, and write full particulars as to your condition, and you will receive special advice from the discoverer of this wonderful remedy regarding your case without cost to you beyond the regular price of "SNUFFLES," the Guaranteed Catarrh Cure. Sent prepaid in any form of currency, or by express, for one dollar. Address Dept. C, 460, Edw. B. Giles & Company, 2330 and 2332 Market street, Philadelphia.

No Third Term for Him.

Washington, June 11.—President McKinley to-day announced that he would not accept a nomination for a third term in the following statement:

"I regret that the suggestion of a third term has been made. I doubt whether I am called upon to give it notice. But there are now questions of the gravest importance before the Administration and the country, and their just consideration should not be prejudiced in the public mind by even the suspicion of the thought of a third term. In view, therefore, of the reiteration of the suggestion of it, I will say now, once for all, expressing a long settled conviction, that I am not only not, and will not be, a candidate for a third term, but would not accept a nomination for it if it were tendered me. My only ambition is to serve throughout my second term to the acceptance of my countrymen, whose generous confidence I so deeply appreciate, and then, with them, do my duty in the executive mansion of this country."

Washington, June 10, 1901.

Young Man Killed by Lightning.

Spartanburg, S. C., June 14.—During a severe thunder storm here this afternoon Robert Tillotson, a young white man about eighteen years old, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. Tillotson was car clerk at Spartanburg, June 14, and was on duty at the time there was the accident happened. He was standing on the front veranda of a building near the town of Anderson, five acres, one of six hundred and being the bolt descended. The two men were entirely unharmed.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Decree for Sale.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA, IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.

FOURTH CIRCUIT—IN EQUITY.

FREDERICK M. COLSTON, Complainant, against Columbia and Greenville Railroad Company, Defendant.

In the Matter of BLUE RIDGE RAILROAD COMPANY.

BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME, under the terms of a decree in the above stated cause, signed by His Honor Nathan Goff, Judge of the Circuit Court of the United States, on the 1st day of June, 1901, I, as Special Master, will sell:

ALL THE PROPERTY, real and personal, rights of property, franchises and interests of the Blue Ridge Railroad Company of South Carolina and of the Columbia and Greenville Railroad Company in the Blue Ridge Railroad Company, property hereinafter described, at public outcry, in front of the door of the County Court House, at Anderson, South Carolina, within the legal hours of sale, on MONDAY, JULY 16th, 1901, upon the following terms, to wit:

FOR CASH: Provided, that no bid for less than \$100,000 shall be accepted.

THE FOLLOWING IS A DESCRIPTION OF THE PREMISES:

All that property known as the Blue Ridge Railroad in South Carolina, including the roadbed, the track, the iron rails, right of way, superstructure, side-tracks or turnouts, and all other iron superstructure and roadbed of said track and side-tracks, turntables, the several bridges, viaducts, culverts, cattle guards, fences, depot buildings, machine or other shops, sheds, wood houses, stone houses, water tanks, station houses, and such other buildings of the several kinds as belonged to said Blue Ridge Railroad Company in South Carolina, with the land upon which the same stood, or may stand, or has been or may be constructed, together with all cars, tools, materials, machinery, and each and every real and personal property appertaining to or connected with the Tennessee River Railroad Company, road in South Carolina.

Also, all those certain franchises, rights and interests, real and personal, in and to the Blue Ridge Railroad Company in South Carolina, there being about thirty-three miles of railroad company, including the right of way and all other lands occupied by and belonging to said company, together with the Tennessee River Railroad Company, road in South Carolina, including all the rights of way and lands occupied by and belonging to said company, and all franchises, rights and interests, real and personal, in and to the Blue Ridge Railroad Company in South Carolina, there being about thirty-three miles of railroad company, including the right of way and all other lands occupied by and belonging to said company, together with the Tennessee River Railroad Company, road in South Carolina, including all the rights of way and lands occupied by and belonging to said company, and all franchises, rights and interests, real and personal, in and to the Blue Ridge Railroad Company in South Carolina, there being about thirty-three miles of railroad company, including the right of way and all other lands occupied by and belonging to said company, together with the Tennessee River Railroad Company, road in South Carolina, including all the rights of way and lands occupied by and belonging to said company, and all franchises, rights and interests, real and personal, in and to the Blue Ridge Railroad Company in South Carolina, there being about thirty-three miles of railroad company, including the right of way and all other lands occupied by and belonging to said company, together with the Tennessee River Railroad Company, road in South Carolina, including all the rights of